

UCBMA MEETING MINUTES OHIO EAGLE 2.28.23

- At 5:07 Layne Butler of Cold Iron Event Rentals welcomed everyone and asked that they stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Treasurer Report. Linda Lack. Money Market: \$49,866.89, Checking \$10,144.66 and Community Foundation: \$5,600. Total: \$65,611.55. The account is high due to incoming Food truck payments.
- 2023 Food Truck Rally is on Friday June 2nd in conjunction with the West Chester Township Bicentennial. The Beneficiary will be West Chester Historical Society.
- Art Matthews spoke on behalf of the combined FTR and Founder's Day Celebration on June 2nd. There will be a drone show at the end of the event with 200-300 drones that will exhibit a spectacular light show for the first time in West Chester. These drones may incorporate logos for businesses and will be launched from the football field of Lakota West. On Saturday June 3rd, the Historical Society will have an open house with a trolley to transport visitors.
- Sponsorships and grants. \$10k budgeted for each. No more than \$1000 in a monthly grant.
 - January Grant request: Inspiration Studios. We granted them \$500.
 - January Sponsorship request: Respawn Robotics. We sponsored them for \$1000.
 - February Grant request: The Faith Alliance is asking for a grant for their School Lunch Program supplies: \$1,000.00, \$500.00 or \$250.00.
 - February Sponsorship request: is from Lakota West Theater for their upcoming performance of Little Mermaid. Lucas Moody spoke on their behalf. There will be two show weekends in April: 14-16th and 20-22nd, shows in total. The sponsorship will help to cover the costs of costumes, lighting and flying components of this upcoming performance. \$1,000.00, \$600.00, or \$480.00 are the levels to be voted on tonight. If members have a business, and they would like to be a sponsor, please see Lucas for details.
- Committee Chairs: There will be a sign-up sheet for everyone tonight to choose a committee Please pass around the room.
 - Logistics: Layne Butler & Art Mathews
 - Marketing: Jill Cates & Janie Cochran
 - Trucks: Kerry Hendel & Kevin Moorman
 - Volunteers: Linda Lack & Sandy Kuznof
 - Beverages: Brent Cullen
 - Sponsorships: Larry Shideler & Sheree Marcum
- Kevin Moorman provided the food buffet tonight for the meeting on behalf of UCBMA. However, we are looking for monthly sponsors to provide food for our upcoming monthly meetings. The business sponsor will be given the opportunity to speak about their organization and pass out information and logoed items for the business.
- UCBMA is looking for a Board President and Vice-President.... interested in being a UCBMA officer? Please email info@ucbma.com for more information.
- Also looking for 3 more people for the Leadership Team. Interested? Please email info@ucbma.com
- Dues need to be paid for 2023. Please pay on our website, at the meeting, or mail a check to UCBMA P.O. Box 1158, West Chester, OH 45071
- Layne asked our visitors to give introductions:
 - Mike Poast of Complete Cash Control
 - Lisa Tesmer, Comey and Shepherd Realtor and she and husband Mark own On the Mark Mobile Cuisine
 - Tony Lange of Street Food Ventures, LLC

- Member updates:
 - Sara Gabbard of Edge Teen Center is selling \$100.00 raffle tickets for their upcoming event. The raffle is for a pool party for 50 people at the back yard “resort “of the Tran family.
 - Natalie Reder is now a Medicare Agent with Saxon Financial
 - Scott Stephens of Reach out Lakota will be the new Director of the Big Brothers and Big Sisters beginning next month.
 - Kerry Hendel needs 6-8 volunteers the morning of the FTR to help with parking of the trucks.
 - Linda Lack would like two male volunteers to help carry cash back to the trailer the night of the FTR
 - Sandy Kuznof will have the sign-up genius out on the website in April for volunteers to sign up for the day of the FTR event.
- Raffles. Please consider donating in the future:
 - Diane Littick of REACH Magazine provided 4 tickets to the Home and Garden Show- Won by Susan Hendel
 - Becky Wilber of CTI Restaurants donated a \$10.00 Taco Bell Gift card and an Ohio Lottery Ticket-Won by Janie Cochran
 - Art Mathews donated a portable/collapsible cup holder-Won by Sara Gabbard
 - Steve Whayne of Miami Regionals donated a Tervis Tumbler filled with candy- Won by Brent Cullen
 - Layne Butler donated a \$25.00 gift Card to Moerlein Lager House- Won by James and Nancy Williams
 - Larry Shideler of H7Network donated a 10-gallon glass desert kit/tank- Won by Jamie Beringer
- Voting ballots were distributed for members to vote on the grant and sponsorship requests:
 - Results:
 - The Faith Alliance-\$1,000.00
 - Lakota West Theater-\$1,000.00
- Meeting was adjourned and everyone enjoyed refreshments and fellowship.
- Total in attendance 37

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| <h2 style="margin: 0;">2023 UCBMA Meetings at 5PM at Ohio Eagle</h2> |
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- 3/21 Tuesday
- 4/12 Wednesday
- 5/10 Wednesday
- Takeover 6/1 & FTR 6/2
- 6/22 Thursday
- 7/19 Wednesday
- 8/16 Wednesday
- 9/19 Tuesday
- 10/10 Tuesday
- 11/15 Wednesday
- 12/7 Thursday (Holiday Party)